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SUBJECT: AMMUNITION REQUEST - ETHIOPIA

REF: ADDIS 2616

AS A FOLLOW-UP TO THE TOUR D'HORIZON DISCUSSIONS REFERRED TO IN REFTEL, MOD ADMITTED A ROUTINE ONMIBUS-TYPE LETTER TO CHMAAG ON MARCH 6 GENERALLY COVERING THE SAME ITEMS DISCUSSED ORALLY. CONCERNING THE EPMG "EMERGENCY AMMUNITION" REQUEST, THE LETTER STATED THE FOLLOWING:

"IT HAS BEEN QUITE A WHILE SINCE WE WERE ADVISED BY MAAG AND THROUGH OUR EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON THAT A POSITIVE REPLY FROM THE US GOVERNMENT WAS FORTHCOMING REGARDING THE EMERGENCY AMMUNITION REQUIREMENT, BUT NOTHING HAS MATERIALIZED TO THIS DATE. UNDER THE PRESENT SITUATION THIS REQUIREMENT HAS THE HIGHEST GOVERNMENT PRIORITY AND A DEFINITE REPLY IN THE SHORTEST TIME POSSIBLE IS EXPECTED. I WOULD, THEREFORE, APPRECIATE IF YOU WOULD SEND ANOTHER REMINDER TO WASHINGTON TO FIND OUT IF A FINAL DECISION HAS BEEN MADE."

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